

CHICAGO NEWS IN BRIEF

Christopher Knust, 83, 3753 N. Ashland av., killed by auto of W. C. Bode, Oak Park.

Police raided grocery store of Frank Rossi, 603 W. Harrison st. "Fence" for boy thieves. Five men arrested. Rossi and son among them.

James Hendershot, 70, 2444 Sheffield av., suicide. Strap. "Tired of life." Found hanging in basement.

Sigfried Buttonmaker, 48, 533 Gun. Maydie. Motive unknown. Melrose av., attempted suicide.

J. Q. Thompson, 83, 1st asst. U. S. Atty. Gen., died here today. Uraemic poisoning.

Strains like "When the Midnight Choo-choo Leaves for Alabama" will guide young working girls at dances given at parish house of St. James' Episcopal church. But any raggy dance is barred. In language of Rev. J. S. Stone, rector: "There'll be no 'rough stuff.'"

\$50,000 loss in fire which destroyed row of buildings at 216-22 W. Congress st. Buildings were occupied by Gallagher & Steck, machinists.

Mrs. Ida Barnett, 1618 W. Adams st., widow, victim of icy sidewalk and storm. Hospital. Fractured leg.

Arthur McCormick, 34, 3014 W. Van Buren st., victim of icy sidewalk and storm. Badly hurt.

Gov. Dunne will meet his cabinet at Springfield Friday and will leave for Washington Saturday to attend inauguration of President-elect Wilson.

Chas. Juchman, 3625 N. Halsted st., held up. \$5 and watch.

J. J. McCarthy, 3732 Racine av., held up. \$25 and watch.

Burglars got about \$1,000 worth of property and cash from combination safe on sixth floor of Athaneum bldg., 59 E. Van Buren st.

George Connors, 25, shot and seriously wounded by Sergeant J. O'Donnell, Warren av. station. One of the men who robbed saloon of G. Sullivan, Western av. and Fulton st. Frank Kelly, 23, Omaha, Neb., his pal, arrested.

Police looking for J. H. Kline, charged with swindling banker near Kalamazoo, Mich., out of \$10,000. Used old "farm purchase scheme."

Charred body of unidentified man found in field near Willow Springs two weeks ago still a mystery. Inquest yesterday. "Died of burns sustained in manner unknown to jury" the verdict.

Evanston train on N. W. "L" struck rear end of Ravenswood car at Kinzie and Wells sts. Many persons shaken up. One car derailed.

Mrs. Elizabeth Gregg, 616 W. 43d st., arrested for selling imitation lace as real.

Mrs. Carolina Sunberg, 364 W. Chicago av., midwife, and Daniel Ringstrom, 3408 Princeton av., held to grand jury for death of Miss Elizabeth Spaulding, 1723 S. Wabash av., who died as result of illegal operation.

Laresda Richards, 435 Wells st., employe of Hotel Sherman,